

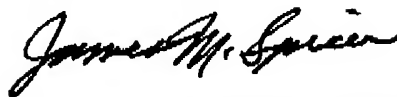
REMARKS

Favorable consideration of this application is requested in view of the foregoing amendments and the following remarks. Claims 1-5 are pending in this application. Claims 1-5 are unchanged, and Claim 6 is newly presented.

The Claim has been amended in order to more clearly define the invention, support for which is found in the figures and related parts of the specification. The Amendment does not introduce new matter.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-1958.

Respectfully submitted,



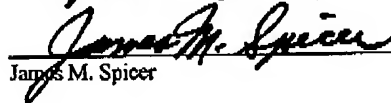
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